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application of

Kenneth H. Church, et al.

Serial No.: 09/837,265

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For: "LASER SINTERING OF MATERIALS AND  
A THERMAL BARRIER FOR PROTECTING  
A SUBSTRATE"

Group Art Unit: 1762

Examiner: Eric Fuller

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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BOX AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231	NEEDLE & ROSENBERG, P.C. Suite 1200, The Candler Building 127 Peachtree Street, N.E. Atlanta, Georgia 30303-1811  February 11, 2002
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed November 30, 2001, Applicants elect Group I, Claims 1 - 28, for examination.

In addition, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please add new claims 43-46 on the attached sheets.

**REMARKS**

Claims 1 - 46 are pending. In addition, claims 43-46 have been added by this Amendment.

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